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RESPONSE TO OFFICE COMMUNICATION

Sir:

In response to the Office communication of the non-compliant amendment, Applicants submit herewith the corrected section of the amendment which includes the "Amendments to the claims" section pages 2 through 9 with the appropriate claim identifiers.

Applicants include a Petition for Extension of Time to extend the deadline for filing a response by four months from January 10, 2005 to May 9, 2005.

Respectfully submitted,

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